



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Henry L. Ashwood, Jr.

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AMENDMENT B IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22202

Sir:

Responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on June 10, 2005, the period for response being extended from July 10, 2005, to August 10, 2005 by a Petition for a One Month Extension of Time filed herewith; please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected on page 12 and with a replacement sheet for Figure 4.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.